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In re Application of:

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**AN INTELLIGENT TOY WITH  
INTERNET CONNECTION  
CAPABILITY**

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In response to the Official Action dated February 26, 2003,  
applicant respectfully requests reconsideration in view of the following remarks.